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MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Reiter, tailor. Fall goods cheap. S. Biddlecomb, who died on Thursday night, was buried yesterday.

The Council Bluffs Congregational as-sociation meets in Shenandoah Septem-Ladies, see combined writing desk and sewing machine. Domestic office, 105

Fidelity council Royal Arcanum will attend the funeral of Mrs. C. E. Lake

this morning. The city auditor has been busy the past two or three days cancelling about

\$30,000 of city scrip.

All members of Royal Arcanum meet at their hall at 9 o'clock this morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. C. E. Lake, wife of Brother Lake.

N. E. Leaman was married on Wednesday evening, and yesterday gave his friends a surprise by announcing the

Joe Bacharach has a Chinese puzzle in his show window. It arrived from Jerusalem yesterday, and is said to be a patent of Rudio's forefathers.

The funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Charles E. Lake who died at Clinton on the 14th inst., will be held at 10 o'clock this morning at Field & Estep's undertaking rooms previous to inter-ment in Fairview cemetery. The deceased was in her twenty-eighth year and was formerly a resident of this city.

There was a special committee appointed by the council with power to act, to inspect the city jail and provide the necessary iron or steel bunks. The committee is composed of Metcalf, Lacy and Wells. They inspected the jail and concluded bunks were necessary, but what was done after that is not known. As it is, those cast in jail are required to sleep upon the damp floor. Will the committee report how far they have progressed?

Personal Paragraphs. J. J. Stork came in off the road yester-

Mrs. S. Swanson left yesterday for Nebraska on a visit to relatives.

W. B. Arnold and wife, of Arnold's park. Lake Okoboji, are at the Pacific with Mrs. Stevens, their daughter, spending a few days.

Dr. I. T. Van Ness, formerly of Neola, has now permanently located in this city. He yesterday removed into his office at room 3, opera house block. The doctor has many friends who welcome him here, and bespeak for him a rapidly growing practice, as his reputation as a physician and surgeon stands high.

One thousand head of one, two and three-year-old steers for sale. Will give credit to reliable parties. Enquire of A. J. Greensmayer, 623 Mynster st., tele-

Morse Brought Back.

Frank Guanella, city marshal, went to Omaha yesterday afternoon and last evening returned with William Morse, who was under arrest in Omaha. The marshal signed an agreement to return Morse to the Omaha police as soon as they were through with him here and Morse signed a document that he would return

without requisition papers.

He was placed in the county jail and some disposition of the case as it now stands will probably be made in the court

List your property Judson, No. 120 Main st. with Cooper & J. W. and E. L. Squire lend money.

Crumbs From Court. The grand jury yesterday reported that they had no indictments against Captain Overton, who was arrested at the instance of the saloon men for perjury, in connection with the presecution of the liquor cases. He was accordingly discharged. A like order was made in the case of M. R. Smith, one of those who

have been prominent in gathering information against the saloons.

The Coffman case was called in district court yesterday, and set for next Tues-day. It is understood that an attempt will be made to have the case tried by Judge Loofbourow, at some future time.
To-day will be devoted to motions and other matters, to be considered by the judge without the aid of the jury.

Visit the new jeweler, C. Voss, No. 415 Broadway, if you wish anything in his line. He has a fine assortment of the best

A Black Burglar.

Yesterday afternoon a burglar entered the rear of the residence of Mrs. Jones. corner of Washington avenue and Seventh streets. He went into the house and lighted a match, and to his surprise found he was by the bedside of Mr. and Mrs. Jones. Mrs. Jones shouted for a revolver, while her husband lay perfectly quiet until the exit of the thief.

After the thief had departed Mr. Jones

was induced to get out of bed. It was then discovered that between \$4 and \$5 in silver had been stolen, but a prize was found on the back porch. It proved to be a jar of apple butter, (known to the tramp as "Pennsylvania salve,") which had been left there by the thief, and had probably been stolen from some

Mrs. Jones had a good look at the thief when at her bedside, and describes him as a good sized negro.

Wanted-Tinners, at Cole & Cole's, No. 41 Main street.

Stim Police Picking. In police court yesterday morning Judge Aylesworth only had three drunks

brought before him. James Harrington, of Marshalltown, was forty years old, and said he never had a home. He was fined \$7.60, but promised to leave town if given a chance.

Dan O'Leary, not the six-day-go-as-you-please-heel-and-toe-walker, but fore-man on the tile work of the new court house, was given a fine of \$8.10. N. North was fined \$7.60, and went his

way rejoicing.

Dr. J. T. Van Ness, physician and sur-geon, office room 3, Opera House block, will attend professional calls day or night. Residence corner Eighth avenue and Fifteenth street.

A Chance For Economy. Why is it that the council don't attend to the sewer in the city jail? It is continually out of whack. It costs the city 50 cents a day to keep prisoners at the county jail, while if the sewer at the city jail is fixed it only costs the city 25 cents per day to feed them. Alderman Keller or some of the economists of the council should look after this matter. It would do more good than to kick against would do more good than to kick against

Dr. Jeffries' Infallible Preventive and Cure for Diphtheria can be procured of Mrs. Porter, 739 Fourth avenue, Council Bluffs. Price \$3.00.

The Sheriff Seizes Three Whisky Barrels

and Spills the Rainwater.

ROTHERY'S HASTY SKIP.

Found Guilty of Steating a Diamond He Bounds Away-A Black Burglar Swaps Apple Butter For Silver -Found Her Lost Sister.

The First Seizure of Liquors. Yesterday afternoon there was an apparently dull, drowsy session of the district court. There were a few loiterers, here and there an attorney, but apparently there was no business doing of sufficient importance to even break into the reveries of the bailiffs, who were taking life easy, and waiting for something to interest or exercise them. From out of this dull appearing gathering there flashed a lightning stroke, however, which was a surprise to those whom it struck. It was the issuance of the first order of abatement in the prohibition warfare. Even those who were in the court room at the time were so oblivious of what was going on that they did not take notice that Judge Deemer was giv-ing orders for the seizure and spilling of the best whiskey of one of the leading

The order of abatement was put into the hands of Sheriff Reel, who started for the well known "Palace" on Broad-way, of which Harrigan & Carlton are the proprietors. The Bee man accom-panied the sheriff to see how that staunch democratic official would nerve himself aloons. into wasting the favorite beverage of his party. Sheriff Reel, as usual, kept cool and handled himself and the whisky with moderation. On entering the saloon he found Mr. Carlton there and proceeded to serve the notice. The sheriff quietly shut the doors and pulled down the blinds so as to prevent any undue pub-

licity and excitement. He then proceeded to carry out the order of the court as contained in the writ.

He met with no opposition, and in fact Mr. Carlton : forded him such assistance as he needed. Behind the bar were found several bottles of liquors, and these were speedily seized. The sheriff tempted the BEE man to taste the contents, to make sure that it was whisky, as the democratic sheriff was innocent about such sinful beverages, but as the BEE man was equally an amateur as a tester, the sheriff took a smell, and took his chances.

"I hate to do it, for it seems awful to see such good whisky go to waste, but here goes," and the bottles were emptied into a bucket preparatory to throwing the whisky out in the alley.

Then a partly filled keg of beer was emptied. Two full kegs were rolled aside to await a later spilling, while the sheriff went for three barrels of whisky, which had apparently just been received. The bungs were knocked out, and the sheriff with a groan saw the liquid begin to flow out. It had a peculiar smell, and the startled sheriff began to think he was laying himself liable to damages for emptying a lot of mineral water, for emptying a lot of mineral water, for water it surely was, and not whisky. It had an odor stronger than Colfax, but the fears of the official were allayed by the saloon man informing him that the barrels were full of rain water, which had stood so long as to get a little stout

At this moment Judge Ford appeared, he being attorney for the firm whose property was being destroyed. He had a written order from Attorney Sims, a written order from Attorney Sims, who has been prosecuting these cases, directing the sheriff to seize but not destory the liquors, and hold them until the next day, when further instructions would be given. "It's too late, Judge," said the sheriff. "I've just knocked the bungs ous of those three barrels and tipped them over. I'm sorry, but you come too late. I hated to do it, but I had

The judge looked discouraged and despondent.

After clearing out the ice box, leaving only the ginger ale, soda water and other harmless beverages, the sheriff sampled the cider, and seeing that Judge Ford had revived, his client having whispered to him that only rain water was in the barrels, proceeded to arrange for a settlement of the costs, which under the execution amounted to about \$70, \$50 of which was for attorney's fees. The saloon men were given the choice of paying this bill or having the fixtures and bar seized and soid. They preferred to pay the costs, so that the only loss of property was a few dollars worth of whisky and a quantity of rain water.
As nearly as could be learned yester-

day the proceedures were the result of a little sharp strategy on the part of attorneys. Some time ago notice was served on Henry Wagner, who was then keeping the saloon, and on the supposed owner of the building, the notice being that application was about to be made to have a temporary writ of injunction is-sued. It was learned that the property was a part of the Folsom estate, and that the ownership was so much in contro-versy as to make it difficult to get at. The versy as to make it difficult to get at. The supposed owner of it was therefore allowed to drop out of the case, leaving the case as against Henry Wagner. In the meantime Wagner had disposed of the business to Harrington & Carlton, the present occupants of the building. There was no case against them, and so Attorney Sims amended his petition so as to make them co-defendants with Wagner. Judge Ford was the attorney for Wagner, and while he did not appear in court as attorney for the two others, he was really acting in their inothers, he was really acting in their in-terests. He made a motion recently to have their names stricken out, claiming that the prosecution had no right to thus that the prosecution had no right to thus amend its petition. This motion had not been disposed of. No one had appeared for Harrington & Carlton, Judge Ford appearing simply for Wagner, not wanting to appear for the two others lest by appearing he would concede the jurisdiction of the court in the case. Thus the matter stood when the jump was made vesterday afternoon.

yesterday afternoon The jump was in this way. Attorney Sims slipped into court yesterday afternoon, and dismissed the action as against Wagner. This let Wagner out of court, and of course, on the surface, it let Judge Ford out too, for he had been representing Wagner alone, and not the two others. Sims then asked for a judgment by default against Harrington & Carlton, they having out in no specarance by they having put in no appearance, by counsel or otherwise. The judgment was accordingly entered up, and not only a permanent injunction issued against the two, but the order for abatement and the execution for costs issued. Attorney Sims was delighted when the sheriff informed him that he had seized sheriff informed him that he had seized and emptied three whisky barrels. He had not got through rubbing his hands gleefully, when the sheriff explained: "Yes, I got three whisky barrels, full too, and emptied them, and you ought to have seen the—rain water run out of them." Sims was nearly heart broken,

trouble than I can help, but its got to stop, and they have got to pay what it costs to stop the business." Rothery's Disappearance. The disappearance of Herb Rothery

them." Sims was nearly heart broken, "but after all," he said, "all I want is for these fellows to stop their selling. I don't want to make any more expense or

immediately after the return of the verdict of guilty was the theme of talk about the court circles yesterday. The report that he and his partner, Morse, had escaped from the sheriff was wholly unfounded. The sheriff had nothing to do has been hunting a sister in this city for

with the two men, as they were out on bail. When the jury had reached an agreement, about 2 o'clock in the morn-

agreement, about § o'clock in the morning, a messenger was sent for the judge and for the attorneys. Ed. Rothery, with others of the crowd of Omaha friends who had been taking so much interest in the case, were hanging about the entrance and making frequent trips across the street to the saloons, where the interest centered greatly. He learned it quickly, as did the others, and he ran across the street, where Herb Rothery was a few minutes before. When the jury formally reported, finding Rothery guilty, there was a call for him, but he was not forthcoming. It became apparent that he had been given became apparent that he had been given a tip as to the result, and had flown.

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Judge Deemer ordered the sheriff to make immediate and thorough search, and that the expense would be certified up to the county. Sheriff Reel did not see why it was not the duty of the bondsmen to hunt Rothery and Morse, but he obeyed the orders, and also offered a reward of \$100. The police were soon on the hunt, but the search was in vain.

It appears that Rothery expected that the jury would either hang or convict. His hopes were based on a disagreement and he came very near to getting one. When the jury first balloted it stood seven to five for conviction. At last it narrowed down to ten tor conviction and two for acquittal. Brown and Davis are said to have been the two men who voted in the minority. On one ballot Brown is in the minority. On one ballot Brown is said to have been the only one voting for acquittal, and on another ballot Davis is said to have stood out alone. At last he voted with the others, and the agreement

was reached.

Rothery and his friends are said to have had their arrangements all made in anticipation of such a result, and when they found that the jury had agreed they jumped into a carriage drawn by a couple of bronchos and hurried to the

couple of bronchos and hurried to the river, there took passage by boat and were soon on Nebraska soil.

Some of the Rothery gang yesterday put on a bold front and declared that Herb Rothery will show up all right. There would be a motion for a new trial, etc., and when it came time for him to appear he would be here, but this was deemed rather "bluffy."

The case of Morse, who was indicted with Rothery for stealing the diamond.

with Rothery for stealing the diamond, was set for trial yesterday morning, but as Morse was not on hand, Judge Deemer caused the bonds to be forfeited. John Linder and Conrad Geise are the bonds-Linder and Conrad Geise are the bonds-men on the new bond, and it is under-stood that Mr. Geise has an indemnifying bond from Mr. Linder, while Linder claims to have an indemnifying bond given by Ed Rothery and Mr. Her, of Omaha. The bond is for \$2,000. The bond will not be declared for-feited as to Herb Rothery until the day arrives for sentence.

arrives for sentence.

County Attorney Daily has fought this case with all the ardor and skill which any man could exercise. The fight has een a hot one, and with three attorneys on the defense, and a goodly crowd backing up the defendant, he has had all that any man could contend with single handed. It seems that he was fully justi-fied in his belief that Rothery and Moss would skip, and hence his anxiety to have a first-class bond was justly acted upon

Rothery's friends evidently made a mistake in their free use of the saloons and the gambling houses. The crowd which rallied around Rothery were for the most part of the sporting class, and their free banding around of cigars, their liberal treating and their general appear-ance created an unfavorable feeling in

To the Public.

We understand that one A. M. Williams, of Des Moines, claiming to be the agent of what is termed the "Dunn Collecting and Protective Union," has been in this city for several days distributing circulars on which are printed in large and bold faced type the words: "The old reliable Dunn Collecting and Protective Union."

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Threatened By Crooks. Police Officers Stevens and Unthank went to Omaha on Thursday night to the show. After returning from the show they noticed something peculiar abou four men who seemed to be following them as they were on their way to the depot. The officers concluded they'd wait a few minutes in a door way on Douglas street. Just after they had taken their positions in the door way, one of the men came along, and changing his revolver from his hip pocket into the outside pocket of his coat remarked as he passed, "We'll fix you people to-

night."
The officers recognized him as Lee and one of the other trio as Cain, who last week, were both arrested by Officer Stevens at the dummy depot one evening. The crooks, as such they are, then threatened to do up the officers, but nothing more was thought of it until they

met on Douglas street. The officers could not find an Omaha policeman, but avoided a collision by turning the corner unexpectedly. They were followed though, but without be-coming alarmed as they were fairly loa ded themselves.

Sudden Death.

A young man named Al Hampton, from Oxford, Ill., died very suddenly at the Revere house yesterday morning. He had been in ill health for a year or more, and although very feeble had decided to try a change of climate as a last hope. He had reached this city on his way to California, and his strength giving out, had concluded to return to his home without going further west. Yes-terday morning he had bought his ticket, and made preparations to take the train. when in crossing his room he tottered, managed to reach his bed, and as a friend managed to reach his bed, and as a friend tried to turn him over so that he would rest more easily, he gasped and died. The cause seems to have been consump-tion, with attendant complications. The eastern friends were notified, and the body was prepared for immediate send-ing home.

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two weeks. She was inclined to believe she had entered a house of ill fame here, but no trace of her could be had and the hunt was almost abandoned. Finally the Omaha sister started to hunt through the boarding houses and she was rewarded by discovering her sister hving in a respectable boarding house on Fourth street. Both girls went to their Omaha home and both felt considerably relieved at the reunion.

Titles of Semi-Barbaric Kings.

Irish Weekly Mail: The titles of the king of Burmah include: The King of Kings, The Cause of the Preservation of All Animals, the Absolute Master of the Ebb and Flow of the Sea, Brother of the Sun, and King of the Four and Twenty Umbreallas. In the matter of titles, those of the royal house of Burmah are not in the first rank, for the titles of the king of Dehem are far in advance. He is styled "Sovereign of the Universe, whose body is as luminous as the sun; whom God created to ce as accomplished Titles of Semi-Barbaric Kings. whom God created to ce as accomplished as the moon at her plentitude; whose eyes glitter like the northern star; a king as spiritual as a ball is round—who, when he rises, shades all his people—from un-der whose feet a sweet odor is wafted,"

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